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ATTACHMENT D

Articles by David MATIS in the "Morning Freiheit" and announcements re his trip through Bloc Countries.

- 1) 17 August.-In an article from Vilnius dated 17 August, writer describes Nazi atrocities and a visit to the former Ponar concentration camp (located near Vilnius). He mentions that the American group was accompanied by G. ZILMAN, Editor of "Tiesa" (equivalent of "Fravda", in the Lithuanian language).
- 2) 19 August--"Personal Greetings From Jews in Vilnius and Kaunas to Relatives in America". The article is dated 6 August and in it subject mentions various persons he met in the above cities who send greetings to their relatives in the United States.
- 3) 6 September-"Where the Jews of Kaunas Found Their Graves", in which subject describes a visit to Kaunas and a mass grave of Jews who were killed by the Nazis. This article, as the others, are written in a pro-Soviet slant. The writer emphasizes that many of the Nazis who participated in the killings of Jews in Lithuania have found refuge in the United States as DPs, or have become leaders of the newly created army in West Germany. Writer's articles are also slanted to indicate tolerance toward Jews that is now prevailing in Lithuania.
- 4) Il September--"In Soviet Lithuania--Encounters With People and Achievements". Subject discusses his impressions of present day life in Lithuania. Mentions that the American tourists were met everywhere with joyous greetings and flowers. Subject further denounces the "horror propaganda in America" against the USSR.
- 5) 13 September -- "Meeting Jewish Hero in Soviet Lithuania".
 Subject mentions a meeting he had with a Col. Welf WILENSKY, hero of the Soviet Union who is of Jewish nationality and speaks Yiddish.

- Subject relates his meeting with a former Yiddish teacher and leftist writer who is now residing in Kaunas. Subject points out that this elderly woman survived only with the help of the Soviet authorities. The same issue carries an announcement about a report by David MATIS on his trip to Lithuania to be given at a mass gathering on 22 September at the Belmont Plaza Hotel, New York. Same announcement is repeated in the 22 September issue.
- 7) 14 October -- "The Big Lie About Anti-Semitism in Soviet Lithuania" in which subject denies the alleged lies about anti-Semitism published in the Yiddish anti-Communist daily, "The Day-Morning Journal".
- 8) 15 November -- In the English supplement "Soviet Lithuania -- 1959". Subject gives a summary of his impressions of Lithuania which is a rehash of what has been stated in greater detail in his Yiddish articles.